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1 7. The use of the process of the invention in dental
2 applications such as teeth whitening, plaque removal
3 and general cleaning or polishing of the teeth,
4 buccal cavity and prosthetic parts such as crowns,
5 bridges and complete or partial dentures.

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7 8. The use of the process of the invention in
8 treating bone.

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10 9. The use of the process of the invention to
11 exfoliate skin.

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13 10. An agent for treating a surface to clean or
14 otherwise treat the surface, the agent being of the
15 type comprising a plurality of particles, the
16 particles being dimensioned to effect a rolling
17 movement along a surface, wherein the treating agent
18 is substantially non-aqueous.

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20 11. A treating agent according to Claim 10 in which
21 the particles comprise a precipitate or agglomerate
22 of an insoluble alkali metal carbonate,

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24 12. A treating agent according to Claim 10 or 11,
25 wherein the particles are non-crystalline

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27 13. A treating agent according to any of Claims 10
28 to 12 for use in dental applications such as teeth
29 whitening, plaque removal and general teeth
30 cleaning.

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1 14. A treating agent according to any of Claims 10
2 to 12 for use in treating bone.

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4 15. A cleaning agent according to any of Claims 10
5 to 12 for use exfoliating skin.

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